

**INDIANA BOARD OF FIREFIGHTING  
PERSONNEL STANDARDS AND EDUCATION MEETING**

**OCTOBER 21, 2013 6PM  
HAUBSTADT FIRE TERRITORY  
103 MAIN ST  
HABUSTADT IN 47639  
812-459-2325**

- A Meeting called to order
- B. Roll call
- C. Approval of August minutes as submitted.
- D Variance requests:

1. Request from August meeting, Justin Heim requested a variance for FO IV. He has submitted transcripts from North central University in AZ.

The Board requested a letter from the Fire Chief of the Dept that he assists when he is in town.

2. Patrick Harper is resubmitting his request for a variance for Fire Officer III and Fire Officer IV based on transcripts and he holds a bachelors in Public Safety Mgt and an Assoc. in Applied Science from Ivy Tech. based on a Bachelor Degree in Public Safety Administration. This was denied at the February 2013 meeting due to us having written/practical testing in place. Patrick was advised to reapply.

- E. Request for Administrative Appeal  
No report at this time
- F. State Fire Marshal report: James Greeson
- G. Director of Training : Deborah Fletcher
- H State Fire Training report: John Buckman
  - 1. 655 IAC rule rewrite
  - 2. Modular testing
  - 3.
- I. Old Business:
  - 1. 17 year old testing and liability issues
    - a) Jeff Hayes
  - 2. Voluntary recertification for Career firefighters.
  - 3. Book committee status
  - 4. Criminal history and revoking certifications
- J. New business
- K. Meeting adjourned

Next meeting:

Dec 2, 2013 6pm  
Pike Twp FD  
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Indpls IN 46268  
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